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Claims Allowed

1. Claims 1-34 are allowed.

Reasons For Allowance

2. The following is an Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance:

The prior art fails to teach a combination of all the claimed features as present in

independent claim 1, which includes two corneal reflex stops situated one on either side

of the corneal image formed by the objective lens system in use, to block reflections

from the cornea of the eye under examination.

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later

than the payment of the Issue Fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably

accompany the Issue Fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on

Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

3. Any inquiry concerning this communication should be directed to Examiner Dang

at telephone number (571) 272-2326.

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Primary Examiner

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